



6 reminders/changes that might affect you and your garbage service.

- 1) If you have more than one can, please keep them spaced out at the curb 6-10' or one on each corner of your driveway. We know this seems like a lot but with our new ASL (Automated Side Load) trucks the arm will hit the other can and tip it over if they are too close. In addition, please keep the cans minimum of 6-10' from mailboxes, telephone poles, basketball hoops etc.
- 2) If you have house pick up service for cans or dumpsters, PLEASE keep the container in the same place weekly. Playing "where is the can this week" game is costing the drivers a lot of time throughout the day. Please keep them in an accessible area with no vehicles or obstructions within 4' of either side.
- 3) If you have house pick up service, please keep your driveway maintained for pick up day. If your driveway isn't plowed free of snow or if it is overly muddy you may be skipped that week. We're sorry but these trucks are VERY expensive to pull out.
- 4) For those of you with house pick up service please keep your trees trimmed back vertical with the edges of your driveway, if your driveway is narrow you may have to go back further. We are experiencing a high volume of mirror and exhaust stack replacement this year due to this.
- 5) PLEASE keep the handle end of your can towards the house. If your lid blows open the ASL trucks are unable to safely pick up your can if the open lid is toward the road.
- 6) RECYCLE- for those of you that use our recycle service, we are now using a non-profit out of the twin cities to drop off your recycle. Please visit our website www.vanderpoeldisposalinc.com for the list of acceptable material and proper handling instructions. Key take aways are rinse and replace cap, absolutely NO BAGGED ITEMS. If your recyclables are bagged, they will be rejected and to the landfill it goes. This is common practice among all recycle facilities. We will also get charged additional to the normal tonnage.

Thank you all so much for your patronage, support, and assistance with these few issues.

The Vanderpoel Disposal Team